

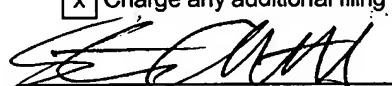


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Application No. 10/713,878-Conf. #1111		Filing Date November 13, 2003		Examiner H. Weiss	
				Art Unit 2814	
Applicant(s): Rigg et al.					
Invention: MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES, METHODS FOR FORMING VIAS IN MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES, AND METHODS FOR PACKAGING MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: SIDNEY B. RIGG *ET AL.*

APPLICATION NO.: 10/713,878

FILED: NOVEMBER 13, 2003

FOR: **MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES,  
METHODS FOR FORMING VIAS IN  
MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES, AND  
METHODS FOR PACKAGING  
MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES**

EXAMINER: HOWARD WEISS

ART UNIT: 2814

CONF. NO: 1111

**Amendment in Response to Restriction Requirement**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 27, 2005, please amend the application as reflected in the following listing of claims.